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For: SILICON SINGLE CRYSTAL AND WAFER DOPED WITH GALLIUM AND  
METHOD FOR PRODUCING THEM

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

✓ Please cancel claims 1-19 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter

contained therein. Please add new claims 20-42 as follows:

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